



## Summit Lake Campgrounds

**Welcome to Summit Lake Campground** (elevation 6695'). Camping in Lassen Volcanic National Park can be a fun and rewarding experience. Remember that you are sharing this space with plants, animals, and other campers. Consideration and cooperation are important.

### Obtaining a Campsite

Summit Lake Campground has 94 campsites (North and South Summit Lake) and offers sites on a first-come, first-served basis for A-Loop and E-Loop and through reservation for B-Loop, C-Loop and D-Loop. Reservations may be made up to six months in advance online at [www.recreation.gov](http://www.recreation.gov), or by calling 1-877-444-6777. For arrivals with campsite reservations proceed to assigned site and verify name and dates listed on the reservation card on campsite post. For first-come, first-served campsites self-register at the bulletin board at the campground entrance within thirty (30) minutes of your arrival. The cost per site for North Summit is \$22 per night. The cost per site for South Summit is \$20 per night when water is on and \$15 per night when off. Campsites cannot be saved and must be occupied upon payment. Camping fees are not refundable and stays are limited to 7 days per year. Checkout time is 12:00 noon. **Clip your camping permit stub to your site post to show occupancy. Camping fees must be paid within thirty (30) minutes of occupying a site.**

### Campsites

Each campsite is equipped with a picnic table, fire grate, bear-proof box and parking area. North Summit Lake has flush toilets while South Summit Lake has pit toilets. Electric and water hookups are not available, though potable water spigots are available in the campground. E-Loop is for tents only. Campsites are limited to 3 tents, 6 people, and 2 vehicles (including RV) per site. Vehicles must stay on paved/graveled areas. Please do not trench your site or put nails in trees.

### Quiet Hours and Generators

**Quiet hours are from 10:00 p.m. to 6:00 a.m.**

Generators may be used only from 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.; 12:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.; and 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Do not run continually and please keep use to a minimum so other campers are not disturbed. Generators are not permitted in tent only loops.

### Food Storage and Wildlife

**This is bear country.** Store all food in bear proof box provided at your campsite, including pet food. **It is illegal to feed, frighten, or disturb any wildlife. All resources such as wildflowers, plants, animals, and artifacts are protected by law in national parks. Please leave them for others to enjoy.**

### Campfires

**For firewood, do not cut, saw, or break any standing trees, dead or alive.** You may gather dead wood that is down on the ground within 30 feet of the road and less than 4 inches in diameter. Fires are allowed only in designated fire grates. Do not build rock rings or burn trash in the grate. **Never leave fires or hot coals unattended and extinguish them completely before leaving.**

### Sanitation

**Wash dishes at your campsite, not in restrooms or water spigots.** Please do not wash clothes, hair or bathe at water spigots. Strained dishwater must be disposed of in industrial sinks or the pit toilets. Dispose of food particles in trash bins, not in the sink drains. **Gray water from RVs and trailers must be contained & disposed of at the Manzanita Lake dump station in the northwest part of the park.** Water is a precious and limited resource; use it wisely. **Please sort and place all trash and recyclables in the appropriate bins.**

### Camper Store, Laundry, and Showers

**(located at Manzanita Lake)**

Lassen Volcanic National Park operates the campgrounds. California Guest Services, the official park concessioner, operates the rental cabins, showers, laundry, and Manzanita Lake Camper Store. Showers and laundry machines take quarters. There is a change machine located by the showers. Wastewater treatment is an expensive undertaking in Lassen Volcanic National Park. Your quarters help return clean water to the park environment.

### Vehicles and Bicycles

All roads in the campground are one-way and the speed limit is 10 mph. Keep all vehicles on paved areas at all times. Bicycles are permitted on paved areas only.

### Recreation

Be sure to check the schedule of ranger-conducted activities. Visitor centers have exhibits, maps, videos, publications, and hiking information. The Kohm Yah-mah-nee Visitor Center is located approximately 17 miles from Summit Lake at the southwest entrance to the park; Loomis Museum is located approximately 12 miles from Summit Lake at the northwest entrance to the park. **Pets must be attended and on a leash not longer than 6 feet at all times. It is the owner's responsibility to clean up after them.**

### Emergencies

Dial **911** or **(209) 379-1992** to report any emergency, 24 hours a day. Contact the campground hosts in site A3 of North Summit Lake or in the Summit Lake Ranger Station. The closest pay phones are at the Manzanita Lake Camper Store and the Loomis Museum.

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